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09/836,576	04/16/2001	Elaine L. Jacobson	NIAD-213.1	6712

TITLE OF INVENTION: METHOD FOR IDENTIFYING REGULATORS OF PROTEIN-ADVANCED GLYCATION END PRODUCT (PROTEIN-AGE) FORMATION

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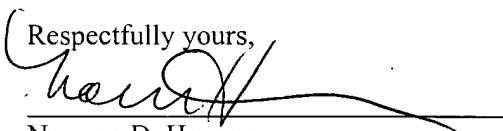
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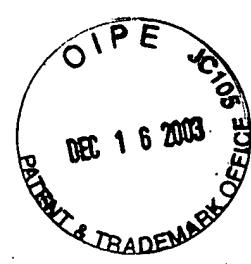
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LETTER RE SMALL ENTITY STATUS

SIR:

This application is entitled to small entity status. The Notice of Allowance is not correct.
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